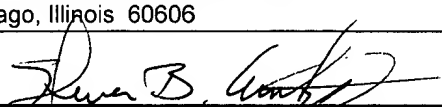
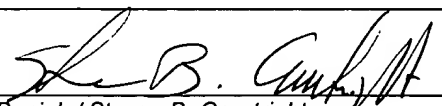


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Total	2	Minus	2	0	x \$9=	0	x \$18=	
Indep.	1	Minus	1	0	x \$43=	0	x \$86=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=	---	+\$290=	
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